

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Agriculture & Cooperation (Mkt.II) Department - Constitution of District Level Committee to oversee the MSP operations of cotton for the year 2020-21 Orders - Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION (MKT.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 427

Dated: 05-09-2020

Read:-

From the Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyd Lr.No.AGM-07-MI & G/2020. Dt:29.08.2020

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ORDER:-

In the circumstances reported by the Director of Agricultural Marketing, Government of Telangana, Hyderabad in the letter read above, after careful examination of the matter, the Government hereby constitute the District Level Committee with the following members to oversee the MSP Operations of Cotton for the Cotton Season 2020-21 in Telangana State.

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| 1. District Collector | - Chairman |
| 2. District Marketing Officer | - Convener |
| 3. District Agriculture Officer | - Member |
| 4. Addl. Superintendent of Police | - Member |
| 5. District Fire Officer | - Member |
| 6. Representatives of the CCI (Buyers) | - Member |
| 7. Dy. Commissioner, Transport | - Member |
| 8. District Legal Metrology Officer | - Member |
| 9. Superintending Engineer, TS TRANSCO, concerned District | -Member |
| 10. Representatives of the Cotton Traders Association / Telangana Cotton Millers & Traders Welfare Association | - Member |

2. The functions of the District Level Committee are :-

- (i) Monitoring the price movements of cotton.
- (ii) Notification of Cotton Ginning Mills as Procurement centres besides market yards.
- (iii) Regulating the arrivals of cotton in market yards and notified Ginning Mills by specifying the days for a particular area or assigning a geographical area to the market yard/notified purchasing centre.
- (iv) While issuing farmer wise daily tokens, the capacity of the attached Ginning Mill has to be taken into consideration.
- (v) Attachment of Villages/Mandals, to the nearby notified Ginning Mills of other Districts, in case of shortage of capacity of Ginning Mills in that District.
- (vi) Assessing the infrastructure facilities and bridging the gaps for smooth running of MSP Operations in the market yards and Ginning Mills.
- (vii) Ensuring the prompt lifting of stock from the market yards/Ginning Mills.

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- (viii) Ensuring prompt payment to farmers.
- (ix) Resolving the disputes arising out MSP operations among stake-holders.
- (x) Before starting of the Season, the District Collector shall conduct meeting with the members of the Committee, Secretaries of Cotton AMCs and other stake holders of AMCs i.e., Hamalies, Weighmens, Traders, Ginning and Pressing Mills, Commission Agents and chalk out action plan for the season duly fixing responsibilities among all.
- (xi) Creation of publicity among the farmers, about the notified centres well in advance with all the available channels.

3. The committee shall meet once in a week or more frequently based on need.

4. The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad is requested to take action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**Dr.B.JANARDHAN REDDY,
APC& SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To

The Spl.Chief Secretary / Principal Secretary to Government,
Revenue (Land) Dept.

The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Govt. of T.S., Hyderabad.

The District Fire Officers concerned.

The Joint Collectors concerned.

The District Marketing Officer (Concerned) through the Director of Agricultural Marketing

The Joint Director of Agriculture through the Commissioner and Director of Agriculture.

The Representative of the CCI (Buyers) through the Director of Agricultural Marketing

The Representatives of the Cotton trade through the Director of Agricultural Marketing

The Superintending Engineers of T.S. TRANSCO in the State.

Copy to:

The P.S. to Additional Secretary to Chief Minister.

The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Govt.

The OSD to Minister for Agriculture & Marketing.

The P.S. to APC & Secretary to Govt., A&C Dept.

The Managing Director, T.S.TRANSCO, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER